Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 07 Apr 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 08 Apr 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 06 Apr 2021 at 15:43

Confidence: High confidence for less cold weather to arrive from the west/northwest on Thursday, ahead of a further cold plunge of Arctic air Friday into the weekend.

Headline for Wednesday 07 Apr 2021: Dry and clear at first. Becoming cloudier with a small chance of a wintry shower.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 07 Apr 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
High Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	10%	20%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Wednesday 07 Apr 2021

Weather: Mostly dry and clear but with frost and a risk of icy patches during the early hours. Gusty winds easing. Sunny intervals during the day, but a small chance of a light rain or snow shower. Mainly dry but increasingly cloudy during the evening. The odd spot of light and patchy rain or snow later evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Cloud bases generally above the hill tops.

Visibility: Mostly very good or excellent with distant hills often in view.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/17 N	12/20 NW	11/17 NW	14/20 NW	12/17 NW	14/20 NW	11/16 NW	7/10 W	10/17 SW
300	4/13 NW	5/14 NW	4/13 W	8/15 NW	8/16 NW	11/19 NW	7/14 NW	4/9 SW	7/16 SW
Valley	4/12 NW	5/14 W	5/12 W	8/15 NW	8/16 NW	10/19 NW	7/15 NW	4/9 W	6/14 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-3/-9	-3/-9	-3/-8	-1/-7	0/-4	1/-4	1/-4	-0/-4	0/-4
300	-2/-5	-2/-6	-2/-5	2/-2	4/1	5/1	3/0	1/-1	2/-1
Valley	-1/-4	-2/-5	-2/-4	3/-0	5/2	5/2	4/1	2/-1	2/0
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	00m	200m	300m	400m	400m	300m	400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

You'll need to wrap up very warm, especially near the hill tops as although winds will have eased a little compared to Tuesday, there'll still be a fairly significant wind-chill.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Tue 06 Apr 2021	0.6mm	0.8mm	0.8mm

Forecast for Thursday 08 Apr 2021

Weather: Mostly dry but rather cloudy. A small chance of the odd spot of rain or drizzle, and the chance of a few snow flakes on the highest hill tops. Wind increasing.

Maximum wind: West or southwesterly 10 to 15mph, with gusts 17 to 22mph, increasing 15 to 20mph, with gusts 30 to 35mph for a time going into the afternoon/early evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 100% decreasing to around 30% in places around dawn, then becoming 70% or more from late morning.

Visibility: Mostly good or very good, locally perhaps decreasing to moderate for a time around dawn/early morning.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 2 Celsius becoming Plus 9 or 10 Celsius
At 600m: Minus 1 Celsius becoming Plus 4 or 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Around 200m at first, soon becoming 800 to 1000m

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